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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
TO EXAMINER'S FINAL ACTION MAILED JULY 25, 2003

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed July 25, 2003, having a period for response set to expire on October 25, 2003. A Petition extending the period for response for one month, from October 25, 2003 to November 25, 2003, is enclosed, in duplicate. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.